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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment/reply in the above-identified application.

- A paper requesting correction/substitution of drawings is attached.
- No additional fee is required.

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Total Claims	20		20	* =	0	_ x \$	18.00	= \$	0.00
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* * At least 3

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF OMITTED ITEMS IN A NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

Sir:

In response to the outstanding Notice of Omitted Items in a Nonprovisional Application mailed August 18, 2003, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 6 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.